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ONE CENT.

Great Bargains in ORGANS!

We have several organs as good as new taken in exchange for

PIANOS

Which we offer very cheap. One \$90.00 Organ for \$59.00. One \$75.00 Organ for \$45.00.

J. P. Williams & Son, S. Main St.

REDUCTION: IN: COATS!

Ladies', Misses' and Children's

COATS

At a great reduction. Every garment marked down 25 per cent. We still have a good assortment, and at the prices they are now being offered they will not last long.

P. J. GAUGHAN, - 27 N. Main St.

TRUSTEE'S SALE!

ALL GOODS MUST BE SOLD WITHIN TWENTY DAYS.

Divide Old Prices By 2 and You Have New Prices.

500 of the Latest Style Overcoats. 830 Suits for Men. 990 Pair of Men's Single Pants. 150 Suits for Children. 200 Suits for Youths. 1000 Pair of Men's, Boy's and Children's Shoes. 500 Boxes of Men's and Boys' Hats. Big Lot of Gents' Furnishing Goods.

The sale will be at **COOPER & SCHILLERS' Old Stand, No. 23 E. Centre Street, EDBAND & GINSBERG, Trustees, Shenandoah.**

CHARLIE SING, - Chinese Laundry, NO. 6 SOUTH JARDIN STREET. First-class Work at Low Prices.

All Work done in first-class manner, and satisfaction guaranteed. Shirts washed and ironed, 10c; shirts ironed, 8c; collars, 2c; cuffs, 4c; undershirts, 7c; underdrawers, 7c; handkerchiefs, 2c.

CHARLEY SING, Manager.

MID-WINTER BARGAINS.

Ladies' Coats
Reduced from \$10.00 to \$7.50
" " 9.50 to 7.00
" " 7.00 to 5.00
" " 6.50 to 4.50
" " 6.00 to 4.00
" " 5.00 to 3.00

Misses' Jackets
Reduced from \$9.00, \$7.50, \$6.50, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$3.00.
To \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.50, \$2.00.
Children's Long Coats reduced from \$10.00, \$9.00, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.50, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$4.00.
To \$7.50, \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3.50, \$3.00.

Just a few sizes left.

Blankets, Comforts, Shawls and other winter goods at similar reduction. At

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

COFFEE AND TEA

Man, supplied with reasoning and discerning powers, may improve his condition by the exercise of these faculties. This can be applied with very good effect in the purchase of Coffees and Teas. A good cup of Coffee depends not only on the making—but the brand of Coffee, the grade, the roasting and preparation are very important factors. We feel confident that we can meet all those requirements. A delicious cup of Coffee is a certainty if you use

Our Fancy Java, or our Fancy Blended Coffee.



In regard to Tea, we occupy a front rank, all our Teas being very carefully selected by competent judges, and a trial order will convince you that we can please the most fastidious customers. We offer nothing but good grades that are noted for quality, color and flavor, and they are sold at popular prices

THE VENEZUELA DIFFICULTIES

Mr. Norman's Final Proposition Regarding the Dispute.

ARBITRATE ALL CONTROVERSIES!

An Agreement by England Direct With Venezuela Would be Welcomed by President Cleveland's Cabinet and Our Government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Mr. Henry Norman, the special commissioner of the London Daily Chronicle, sent the following dispatch to his paper before leaving Washington yesterday:

"There is a simpler solution of the present difficulty and restoration of cordial relations between England and America than any I have yet suggested. But first I must make one point clear. I observe that the foreign office is reported to have confirmed the statement that Canada has not agreed to the Behring sea arbitration treaty. There must be a misapprehension in England concerning this. I know positively and assert for the third time, despite any denial that Canada has agreed. If the foreign office has really denied this, then the foreign office is unaware of the facts.

"Now this treaty is about to be returned to the American government. Why should not Lord Salisbury attach to it a clause providing for the arbitration of all pending questions, and even of all future ones. Besides Venezuela and Canada, there are the Alaskan boundary, the eastern fisheries and other questions causing discord. If he does this I am able to state that the administration will accept with pleasure the treaty so altered. This is a method of accomplishing everything with perfect honor and dignity to both parties.

"As I called a week ago an agreement by England direct with Venezuela would be welcomed by the cabinet, and this is still perhaps the most probable settlement. Therefore I may add an authority that if Lord Salisbury will inform the American government that he is willing to resume diplomatic relations with Venezuela the cabinet here will press Venezuela to request England to renew diplomatic relations.

"But this, even if possible, would only be a counter irritant and not a radical cure, extirpating international discord at its root. It is, therefore, infinitely desirable that Lord Salisbury adopt the former method, which would be equally simple, honorable and effective. It is certain now that he will not attempt to uphold the Schomburgk line without arbitration, so surely it would be the best policy to secure everything at once by a master stroke certain of welcome here, and remove all sources of discord with the United States from the person of British politics.

"Moreover, Lord Salisbury would be wise to terminate the matter before Brazil demands arbitration of her end of the Schomburgk line, thus adding a new and difficult complication."

Cornett May Challenge Fitzsimmons.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 13.—A letter was received here yesterday from Cornett announcing that he will be at the ringside when Fitzsimmons and Maher fight to challenge the Australian in case he wins. Peter Maher will probably go to Las Cruces, N. M., to train. Each of the big pugilists, accompanied by a crowd of friends, attended the bull fights in Juarez yesterday afternoon.

Sleep for Seven Years.

BUSHKILL, Pa., Jan. 13.—After a cataplectic sleep of seven years, William Deque, a prominent citizen of this place, has suddenly returned to consciousness and good health. In the years that have passed all that medical science could do has been done to arouse the sleeper, but without the slightest effect. On Friday he awoke and announced his intention of going to work. He set about his usual labors as if he had been asleep but seven hours instead of seven years, and is as vigorous and healthy as ever he was. The only result of his long sleep is that his eyesight has become dim, and it is feared that he may soon become blind. The seven years has been a blank to him.

Harrisburg's Mayoralty Candidates.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 13.—There are now five candidates for mayor in this city, and the Populist party to hear from. Besides John D. Patterson, Republican; Charles P. Waters, Democrat, and Dr. J. W. Ellenberger, Prohibitionist, there are two others. The German-American union has named Captain J. W. Moose, chief clerk in the postoffice and candidate for school director on the Republican ticket in the Fifth ward, and Johnson Leonard, a Republican, has taken out nomination papers as an independent candidate.

Death from Rabies.

HAZLETON, Pa., Jan. 13.—Abraham A. Hause, aged 47 years, died at his home in Conyngham yesterday after four days' suffering from rabies. Two doctors were in attendance, but could do nothing to relieve him. Hause was bitten last October by a out house dog.

What 1896 Has Brought.

One thing it certainly did not produce. A beverage as pure, wholesome and delicious as Columbia beer. It is the most popular because it is the best beer brewed.

Camp 117, Attention!

All members of Washington Camp No. 117, P. O. S. of A., are requested to be present at their meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, January 14th, 1896, in Egan's hall, corner Main and Centre streets, as business of importance will be transacted. By order of **GEORGE W. DAVIS, Pres.** Attest: **F. C. REESE, Sec'y.** 1-11-31.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Tuesday, January 14th, will be the last day for people to pay taxes for 1896 and get advantage of the 5 per cent. rebate.

M. J. SCANLAN, Receiver of Taxes. 1-11-31

Kendrick House Free Lunch.
Beau soup to-night.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS.

No Probability of a Vote on the Senate's Silver Bill This Week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The greater part of the time of the senate during the present week will be consumed in the discussion of the finance committee's silver substitute for the bond bill. Senator Morgan leads off with a speech today, and Senators Daniel and Dubois have also given notice of speeches. Various other senators are known to be prepared to take the floor either in advocacy of or opposition to the substitute. The probabilities are all against securing a vote on the measure during the week. The advocates of the bill have a special reason for desiring a temporary delay. Appreciating the close margin on the vote, they are desirous that the Utah senators, of whose support they feel confident, should be in their seats when the vote is taken. There are several other questions of minor importance on the senate calendar, which will receive attention during the morning hour each day.

The week in the house will be devoted to routine matters. As soon as the consideration of the rules is completed the pension appropriation bill will be taken up. As quite a number of members desire to be heard on various matters connected with the administration of the pension office, and various proposed reforms therein, it has been decided to allow ample time for debate, and it is not believed that the bill will be disposed of before Thursday. The remainder of the week will be devoted to such other matters as may be brought up.

Rockafellow's Brief Freedom.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 13.—Ex-Banker F. V. Rockafellow, who was sentenced to two and a half years for embezzlement, was released from the Eastern penitentiary yesterday, his sentence having been commuted on account of good behavior. He will be re-arrested at once on twelve other warrants. Rockafellow is destined to spend the rest of his life in the penitentiary, unless he breaks the mask of secrecy behind which he has so long withheld the facts concerning the loss of the \$472,000 of his depositors' money.

Iron Workers' Wages Reduced.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 13.—On Saturday President Garland, of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, met with Secretary Jarrett, of the Manufacturers' Iron and Sheet Steel Association, to arrange the wage scale governing sheet iron workers for the next sixty days. The reduction agreed upon amounts to 2 per cent, and the wages of 20,000 men are affected. Sixty days ago the wages of the workers had been advanced 2 per cent.

Seven Alleged Murderers Indicted.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 13.—The grand jury on Saturday returned true bills against supposed murderers who are now in jail awaiting trial. They are John Buhnoek, Swonal Gustiano, James Jimmite, Joseph Caravan, James Passavella, Angelo Janjellmal and Parquet Comorato.

At Green's Riato Cafe.

Grand Army bean soup for all patrons, free to-night.

Free hot lunch every morning.

Meals served at all hours.

FIRE AT SHAMOKIN.

Two Business Places Destroyed and a Third Badly Damaged.

SPECIAL TO EVENING HERALD.

SHAMOKIN, Jan. 13.—At about five o'clock this morning fire started in L. W. Laubenstein's auction rooms, on Independence street, opposite the P. & R. depot, and before the firemen got control O. A. Sparr's jewelry store was destroyed, in addition to Laubenstein's place, and Emanuel Malick's wholesale dry goods and grocery store was badly damaged.

Watson House Free Lunch.

Something special in hot lunch to-night.

Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Mr. Boyer Sells Again.

A letter from John R. Boyer, of West Chester, Pa., states that his father, H. C. Boyer, recently proprietor of this paper, has sold the Village Record at West Chester to a syndicate for \$6,000 and will retire from the newspaper business, on account of ill health. J. R. Boyer has no definite plans for the future, but expects to go to Scranton. Joseph M. Boyer will return to this town temporarily and expect to join Charles H. Lewis, of Port Carbon, in the establishment of a newspaper to be known as the Weekly Herald at MeAdoo, Luzerne county.

Silverware, richest designs, largest stock, lowest prices. At Brunm's. IF

Struck by an Engine.

A wagon belonging to William Schmieder, of town, was struck and badly wrecked by an engine on the P. & R. railroad at Brandonville today. Mr. Schmieder has the contract for hauling coal from the Brandonville depot to the public water works pumping station, and his son and John Dalton had charge of the work to-day. When the accident was reported it was also stated that the two men had been killed, but it was subsequently learned that the report had been exaggerated and that the men and horses escaped injury.

THE ONLY PLACE

for your fashionable hats and big bargains in women's underwear is at **MAX LEVITS', 15 East Centre street.** 1-13-31

A Child's Death.

Raymond, 3-year-old son of James Butts, formerly of town and now of Philadelphia, died at the latter place yesterday of measles. Mrs. C. G. Palmer, of town, and Mrs. Richard Ellis, of Wm. Penn, went to Philadelphia today to attend the funeral.

The Welsh Gas Light.

Ask any one who uses this wonderful money saving light if they would like to go back to the old way—you get three times the light at about one half the cost. L. J. Wilkinson is the agent for Shenandoah.

L. O. O. F. Notice.

All members of Shenandoah Lodge No. 201, L. O. O. F., are requested to meet at their hall on Tuesday morning, at 11 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Isaac Parnell, from Mainzville, Gilberton borough, to be buried at Frackville.

ROBERT ANDERSON, N. G.
Attest: **JOS. HINKS, Sec'y.**

Buy the engagement ring at Brunm's.

Break in the Pipe Line.

Early this morning a break was discovered in the steel pipe line running from the pumping station of the public water works at Brandonville to the reservoir at Fowler's Run. The break occurred on top of the mountain. The water committee and superintendent were notified and at once took steps to repair the damage.

Spectacles and eye glasses, the largest assortment in the county. At Brunm's. IF

A Mad Hog.

A hog owned by Mrs. Steedle, of Glover's Hill, went mad yesterday and bit two dogs, which were at once killed. The hog was wild for several hours, evading attempts at capture, and was finally shot and killed by John Steedle.

Muslin Underwear.

Our annual sale of ladies' muslin underwear is now on. Come and see the great values we are offering. We can sell you choice garments ready made at less than cost of material alone; see our window display. **L. J. WILKINSON,** 29 South Main street.

Beat His Wife.

Simon Verbitski quarreled yesterday with his wife on a question as to whether they should go out and visit friends, and wound up by beating the woman. Constable Gibbon took Verbitski to jail this morning.

Schiffly House.

Hot lunch to-night.

Oysters. Clams.

At the bar: All the delicacies of the season in every style.

HE WAS BEATEN TO DEATH.

Foul Work Committed at a Wedding in Trenton.

SOME GOOD DETECTIVE WORK!

They Got Five Hours Start on the Police but All Cites Have Not Run Short.

Man Arrested at East Mauch Chunk on Suspicion.

If the guilty parties can be apprehended in time the criminal court of this county will have a murder case to try at its next term. A Lithuanian wedding at Trenton, near Delano, forms the nucleus of the affair. Peter Magalunis, 29 years of age, is the victim, and Martin Magklet and Andrew Radaulski are the men accused of the crime. They are at large and, as they had several hours start on the authorities, it may be difficult to trace them.

The wedding at which the murder took place started Friday night. Beer and whiskey flowed all night and Saturday until the murder took place, which is fixed at about three o'clock in the afternoon.

It is stated that Magalunis, the murdered man, was an intruder at the wedding. He was ejected repeatedly and the last time was beaten and kicked so badly that he died shortly after being found by his friends and removed to his boarding house.

Constable Neil Brennan was armed with a warrant to arrest the murderers, but the riotous conduct of the people where the wedding ceremonies were in progress made him timid about attempting an arrest single handed. Brennan therefore summoned aid and at eight o'clock Saturday night he went to the house accompanied by C. & I. Policemen Geiger and Smith and eight citizens of Mahanoy City, but the murderers had fled with five hours' start.

Deputy Coroner Fogarty, with the aid of Dr. W. S. Horn, held a post-mortem. A clot of blood found on the brain, on the left side, was decided upon as the cause of death. The body of the victim was covered with bruises.

The authorities have since been actively engaged in tracing clues of all sorts in the hope of running down the murderers. This morning C. & I. Policemen Geiger received a piece of information that caused him to make a hurried departure for East Mauch Chunk, and at noon to-day arrested John Kornofsky at that place on suspicion. He will be given a hearing this evening before Squire May, at Mahanoy City.

The Phoenix Fair.

A door prize will be given at the fair to-night. A full orchestra will furnish dancing music, for those who attend.

TWO MEN BADLY BEATEN.

Sequel to a Drunken Frolic on "The Rocks" Yesterday.

A spree in a boarding house at the south end of Pear alley yesterday afternoon wound up in a riot in which two men were almost murdered. Nobody seems to be able to account for the disturbance. A number of Poles and Lithuanians were drinking and an argument drifted into a fight, in which about fifty men ultimately became engaged. Clubs, stones and mining tools were used with marked effect, and when the police arrived they found Anthony Danavsky and Joe Andruszki in a bad condition. The former narrowly escaped losing an eye and his skull was fractured. The latter had his face laid open from the left temple to the lower jaw and Dr. Hamilton put ten stitches in the wound. It was at first feared the injuries of the men would prove fatal, but last night it was concluded to release the accused under \$1,000 each, and T. F. Bradigan gave the security before Justice Williams.

Special Jewelry Reduction.

A special reduction of 15 per cent. on all goods at Strouse's jewelry store until February 1st, on account of removal. 1-10-17

Mr. Waters' Engagement.

Tommy Waters last night received a telegram from the manager of "One of the Graves" company, asking him to join the company at Scranton. The offer was a very flattering one, and Mr. Waters left this morning for that city. He and his wife, who do a good specialty act, will receive \$40 a week and traveling expenses. Mrs. Waters will join the company a week later at Philadelphia, where they play at the Standard theatre. Major English and Harry Watson, two other members of the stranded All-Star American Company, left last night for their homes in Boston.

WATCH THIS... SPACE.

CATCH ON?

We caught on to several barrels of the finest Mackerel last week, that we ever saw.

Some Norways,

fat juicy and white as any mackerel grow, weight 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 lbs. Another lot of small ones, elegant color, texture and flavor, weight about 3/4 lbs. each.

Graf's,

122 North Jardin Street, Shena. ab.

At KEITER'S.